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News Gleanings FROM OUR CORRESPONDENTS Of The District

KIRKCALDY

Mr. and Mrs. W. Saunders were visitors in Calgary for a few days last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Brinton Sr., of Cayley, were visitors in Calgary for a few days last week.

J. Sherran of Arrowwood was a business visitor in Kirkcaldy on Sunday.

Darrell Maisey spent Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. L. Maisey, Herndon.

Mr. and Mrs. Steve Lang motored to Maseppa on Sunday.

Miss E. A. Richards has been visiting with friends in Vulcan for the past two weeks.

Misses Alida and Jennie Keegstra have returned home from Nobleford where they were visiting friends.

Miss Kathleen Colwell was a recent visitor at Nobleford.

Mr. and Mrs. Carnegie and son motored to Hoadley on Saturday, where Mrs. Carnegie and son will visit at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Miller for several weeks. Vera and Mildred Miller, who have been visiting at the Carnegie home during the holidays, returned to Hoadley with them.

ALSTON

Lacey Hollister and Jack McDonald motored to Fairview on Tuesday of last week.

Gordon Cooley of Nanton was a week-end visitor with Howard Hagg.

Mrs. Beck and daughter Greta are spending a few days at Innisfail with Mr. Beck.

Word has been received that Harry Lawrence, formerly of this district, has joined the Seaford Highlanders at Vancouver.

Friends of O. Hagg will regret to learn of the death of his sister, Mrs. Christine Johnson, at Warwick, N.D.

MAYVIEW

Mrs. E. Shaw and sons Garnet and Stuart of Red Deer were recent visitors in the district. Mrs. Shaw returned to her home on Sunday, while the boys will remain here for some time.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Rushfeldt of Cochrane were Sunday visitors at the Nafziger home.

Mr. A. Hunter and daughter Elsie of Herronton were visitors last week at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. Smith.

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Stein and family, accompanied by Mrs. Shaw, were Sunday visitors to Calgary.

Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Richardson have returned from a short holiday spent at Waterton.

Several softball teams have been organized in the district and numerous games, all of which have been well attended, have been played.

REID HILL-MILO

A Lutheran League boys' camp sponsored by the Lutheran church was held at the Cluny bridge the week of July 24th. About sixty boys attended from Enchant, Milo and Lomond. The camp was under the supervision of Rev. Saugen of Calgary, Rev. Vinge of Camrose, superintendent of the Lutheran League of Alberta; Rev. Walker of Medicine Hat and Mr. Odlund of Enchant. Bible studies, sports and services provided an interesting program of work and play, with the male quartette receiving much favorable comment. A social evening was arranged and enjoyed by several visitors the last night.

Mrs. K. Bolen of Milo, was a recent Claresholm visitor.

Miss Laurene Thormander and Miss Sadie McCartney of the Holy Cross training staff are on a three weeks' holiday. They are at present guests at the Andy Armstrong home after a week's motor trip to Banff, Yoho, Radium and Jasper.

Rev. and Mrs. Burnett are on their holidays and no services will be held next Sunday. However, on August 18th, services will be conducted by the Crescent Heights Baptist group.

Mr. and Mrs. Bruce McKay, accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. N. Scotney motored to the Carseland bridge on Sunday, where they were joined by Mr. and Mrs. C. Short of Rockyford. All enjoyed a most pleasant afternoon and partook of a delicious picnic supper.

Mrs. Minnie Fulton Is Laid To Rest

Mrs. Minnie Fulton, aged 65 years, beloved wife of John Fulton of the Vulcan district, passed away in the Vulcan hospital on Sunday, August 4th, following a short illness. A resident of this district for 34 years, she was a willing worker in all church and community affairs and will be greatly missed by her many friends.

Born in Gray County, Ontario, she moved with her family to Neepawa, Manitoba, in 1885 and in 1897 was married to John Fulton, the couple homesteading in the Vulcan district in 1906.

Surviving are her husband; five sons, Roy, Beiseker; Alvin, Turner Valley; Charles, Brant; George and Mervin, at home; four daughters, Mrs. C. Dunhom and Mrs. H. Rutberg, Vulcan; Mrs. O. Brownlee, Foremost; and Elizabeth, at home; 15 grandchildren; also her mother, Mrs. Sarah Eamor of Vulcan, and two brothers, Jake Eamor, Delburne, and Laben Eamor, Milo.

Funeral services, conducted by Rev. Melvin Dobson, were held from the United Church on Tuesday, August 6th, and the church was filled to overflowing with the friends who attended to pay their last respects. The many beautiful floral wreaths and bouquets paid tribute to the esteem in which the community held the late Mrs. Fulton. Pallbearers were Willard Snow, Thomas Love, Mark Jose, Ralph Henderson, Charles Hay and Robert Hay. Arrangements were in charge of the Snodgrass Funeral Home and interment was made in the Vulcan cemetery.

Young Men Get Code Instruction

About twenty young men of the town are receiving instruction three nights weekly in the sending and receiving of code and are thus preparing themselves for possible service in the army, navy or air force as wireless operators.

The instruction is being given by Norman Lockhart, who for some years has operated his own amateur short wave radio station and is well qualified for the job. Formation of the class was sponsored by the Young People's Loyalty League when Mr. Lockhart volunteered his services and the class is making rapid progress.

Wedding Bells

McCANN — ROEBUCK

A quiet wedding was solemnized at the United Church in Red Deer at 2 o'clock on July 23rd, when Gertrude Dalton, youngest daughter of Mr. Alfred Roebuck and the late Mrs. Roebuck of Vulcan became the bride of William Henry McCann, only son of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Henry McCann of Arrowwood. The Rev. J. N. Brunton of Edmonton, officiated.

The bride was attired in a dress of blue sheer with matching jacket, white picture hat and accessories. She was given in marriage by her father. Only immediate relatives and friends were present. Following the ceremony the guests were entertained at dinner at the Buffalo Hotel. The bride and groom will make their home at Eckville, Alberta.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Gibson and daughter Doris of Lethbridge, and L. Corporal Fred Gibson of Calgary were Sunday visitors at the H. Horn home. Miss Doris Gibson remained as the guest of Miss Margaret Horn for a week.

The teaching staff of the Milo school for the coming year will be: Mr. H. Allergoth, principal; Mr. Ernest Shackleton, intermediary grades; Miss Ethel Campbell, primary grades. The Bow Valley large school unit will move the Corby Hill school into Milo to provide an extra room. Van service has also been arranged for accommodation of pupils from the Rocky Butte and Lake McGregor districts.

The marriage took place on July 27th of Mr. William Lucas, eldest son of Mr. Thos. Lucas, of Armada, to Miss Mildred Fredrickson of Minnedosa, Man. Mr. and Mrs. Lucas will reside on the bridegroom's farm east of Armada.

Miss Nora Wainwright has secured a position in the Thompson store at

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Singing Star Enjoys Banff Interlude



Blonde, petite Hope Manning, whose glorious voice is known to millions of radio fans, found peaceful relaxation at Banff in the Canadian Rockies between singing engagements. The Columbia singing star, who is seen here at the famous open-air sulphur pool at the Banff Springs Hotel, traveled through Canada on her way east to St. Louis where she was to start a month with the famous "Muny" Operas. She had just completed an engagement with John Charles Thomas and the Los Angeles Light Opera.

Brief Items of Local Interest

Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Jones are spending a few days at Banff.

Mr. and Mrs. V. McLeod are on a two weeks vacation at the Coast.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Fletcher and family are holidaying in the Jenni John cottage at Sylvan Lake.

Mrs. Harry Wenger and daughter, Evelyn, of Okotoks, are visiting relatives in town this week.

Mr. and Mrs. R. L. King of Claresholm were Sunday visitors at the F.M. Anderson home.

Mrs. R. W. McFarlane of Calgary is spending the week at the R. J. Buehler home.

Constable William Ludlow and Mrs. Ludlow of Calgary, were week-end guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Bennett.

Miss Dorothy Ottewill and Miss Nora Smith of Calgary have been spending a few days at the former's home in Vulcan.

Lt.-Bdr. Robert Lundgren of the 6th Field Brigade, Camp Shilo, Manitoba, was a visitor last week in Vulcan at the home of his parents.

Mrs. Pettman has again taken up residence in town in one of the Lambert houses, following several months stay at Ostrander, Ontario.

Mr. and Mrs. Mervin McIntyre were Sunday visitors in town. They left later for a holiday in Banff and Calgary.

K. Roy McLean—Optometrist—Regular Visit—King Drug Store, Tuesday afternoon and evening, Aug. 13th, Calgary—209 Southam Bldg., last four days of week.

Mrs. D. W. Campbell announces the results of her music-exam pupils as follows: Honors, Maime Taeverer; Pass, Delight Mannen, Alice Herdman, and Harley Swartz.

Friends will be interested to learn that Mrs. Margaret Barker, B.A., of Drumheller, will be on the high school teaching staff at Macleod this coming term.

A cablegram has been received by Mrs. R. D. McElroy telling of the safe arrival of her husband with his unit in England. Other local men in the same unit are Russell Carruthers and Myer Johnston.

Mary Catherine Arney entertained at a house party last week-end, when her guests were former students of Mount Royal College, including Miss Eleanore and Miss Dibis Gooderham of Gleichen, Miss Elaine Torrance of Carbon, Miss Ruth Dupue of Champion, Miss Betty Wright of Airdrie, Miss Geraldine Cope and Miss Wilcox of Calgary.

Miss Gladys Anderson is visiting with relatives at Claresholm.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Love of Turner Valley were recent visitors here.

Mrs. Jack Marshall is a visitor at the Stan Hemingway home in the Nanton district this week.

Neil Almond remained at the coast, where he went for his holidays, having secured work there.

Miss Nonie McAfee, who is now employed in Calgary, spent the week-end at home.

Mrs. Young of Trail, B.C., is at present visiting her daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Wray.

Mr. and Mrs. T. Hughes and Jack Waddell of High River spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Jones.

Mrs. H. Huffman, Edward and Eileen of Edmonton, are visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Allan Stewart.

Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Leggett and son Billy of Coronation were week-end visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Dyce Allan.

Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Logan of High River were guests on Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Simington.

Mrs. L. F. Smith and two children of Port Alberni, B.C., are spending three weeks at home of Mrs. Smith's parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. Ulrich.

Mrs. H. Tibbetts of Tacoma, Wash., who is spending the week with her sister, Mrs. Dwigans of Ensign, was a visitor in Vulcan on Sunday.

Scouts and Cubs will regret to learn that Commissioner Betton has been confined to his bed with inflammatory rheumatism since his return from camp.

Misses Kaye and Marian Jones have returned from a holiday at the Wintertown Ranch, west of High River. Brian Jones is spending a week there at present.

Mayor W. D. Allan presided at the regular meeting of the town council Monday night, when F. M. Anderson was appointed deputy-mayor for the next three months and W. A. Howes was appointed secretary-treasurer.

Honoring Mrs. Howard Deal, nee Miss Margaret Tolfree, a bride of two weeks, Mrs. W. D. Campbell entertained at a miscellaneous shower on Friday, August 2nd. Misses Nora Collier and Hannah Clarkson presented the gifts to the bride in a little cottage called the "Dove Cote." A lace covered tea table was centred with pink clarkia and matching candles. Mrs. Zeo Deal poured tea for the guests close.

Red Cross Benefits By \$170.00 As Result Barn Dance

Net proceeds of the barn dance sponsored Wednesday night of last week by the Young People's Loyalty League, the sum of \$170.00 was turned over to the Vulcan and District Red Cross Society this week.

A crowd of about 350 attended the dance, which was held at the farm of A. D. Mitchell, and an exceptionally good time was had by all. The lunch and soft drink stands both did a good business. One regrettable incident occurred and that was the theft of two flares left burning at the road leading off the highway. This reduced by \$3.50 the amount turned over to the Red Cross and the thief or thieves responsible must certainly feel proud of themselves.

Thanks of the Red Cross and the Y. P. Loyalty League must first go to Mr. and Mrs. Mitchell for the use of the barn, an entirely voluntary gesture that was greatly appreciated, and to the Beaver Lumber Co., which donated the use of the lumber for platform and stands. To single out for mention everyone whose work and efforts deserve special thanks, would take too much time and space, but to all those who assisted in the preparations for the dance and the work afterwards, who donated and helped prepare the lunch, and who gave so freely of their time and services in every way to assure the success of the dance, the Young People's Loyalty League and the Vulcan Red Cross Society express their sincere thanks.

Alex Clark Succumbs After Long Illness

Largely attended funeral services were held from the United Church on Tuesday, August 6th, for George Alexander Clark, aged 56 years, who died at his home in Vulcan on August 3rd following a long illness. The services were conducted by Rev. Melvin Dobson and the pallbearers were Guy Denbigh, W. W. Clarkson, Roy Clarkson, O. B. Roe, F. M. Anderson and W. E. Butchart. Arrangements were in charge of the Snodgrass Funeral Home and interment was made in the Vulcan cemetery.

Born at Shoal Lake, Manitoba, Mr. Clark farmed at Retlaw before coming to Vulcan some 13 years ago. Immediate survivors are his wife and daughter, Rhue, at home, and a son, Grant, member of the 6th Field Brigade, C.A.S.F., who is at present home on leave.

Militia Parades Twice Weekly

Members of the local militia unit "D" Company, 2nd Battalion, Calgary Highlanders, are parading Monday and Wednesday evenings in the skating rink, with instruction being given at the present time by Sergeant-Instructor Munro of Calgary, who is dividing his time between Vulcan and Nanton. 73 men now comprise the local detachment and, as the regiment is considerably over-strength, no further enlistments are being made.

Special classes are also being held by Sgt. Munro in the Canadian Legion hall every Wednesday afternoon.

Hold Reunion At Mayview School

Owing to the fact that Mayview school is being closed, a reunion of former pupils, teachers, trustees and members of the community was held July 31st. About 70 persons sat down to dinner and Mr. J. R. Stein, as toastmaster, proposed a toast to the trustees, to which Willard Love replied. A toast to the teachers was given by Leon Bateman, with Mrs. R. P. Hay replying. D. L. Doane proposed the toast to former pupils, to which Gordon Sinclair replied, and the toast to the present pupils, proposed by Mrs. J. S. Smith, was replied to by Miss Donna Plourd.

A minute's silence was observed in memory of those who had passed on after which roll was called and letters and telegrams read from those unable to be present. Cards and dancing brought the enjoyable evening to a close.

Revised List Men On Active Service

This week we again publish a list of the men from Vulcan and district who are on active service with the army, navy or air force. We would appreciate having our attention called to any omissions or errors:

Royal Canadian Navy
Jack Denbigh, Vulcan.
Desmond McKinnon, Vulcan.
6th Field Brigade, R.C.A.
Bombardier Jas. C. Kennedy, Vulcan.
Lt.-Bdr. Robert O. Lundgren, Vulcan.
Gunner J. Ray Gay, Vulcan.
Gunner Royce M. Clark, Vulcan.
Gunner Walter McDermott, Vulcan.
Gunner Wallace Morley, Vulcan.
Gunner Geoffrey Jackson, Vulcan.
Gunner Richard Jackson, Vulcan.
Gunner William Mitchell, Vulcan.
Gunner Grant Clark, Vulcan.
Gunner Harold Koch, Lomond.
"B" Battery, R.C.A.
Gunner Gerald Whalen, Vulcan.
20th Anti-Tank Battery, R.C.A.
Gunner William Taylor, Lomond.
Gunner John Matheson, Lomond.
22nd Battery, R.C.A.
Captain H. N. Heal, Calgary.
Act. Q.M.S., Percy B. Discher, Vulcan.
23rd Anti-Tank Battery, R.C.A.
Gunner Moffatt McPherson, Vulcan.

Unposted
Lieut. Joseph D. Dobbs (R.C.A.).
Lieut. Cahill Knox (R.M.C.).

M. D. No. 13, Depot Troops
Coy.-Sgt.-Maj. H. Dorrington, Vulcan.
Pte. Fred L. Simington, Vulcan.
Pte. G. Kelly McLean, Champion.
Pte. David A. Evans, Vulcan.
Pte. Gerald Simington, Vulcan.
Pte. R. W. McFarlane
10th Batt., Calgary Highlanders
Pte. Earl Bateman, Brant.
Pte. Cecil Gordon, Kirkcaldy.
Pte. O. M. McCurdy, Kirkcaldy.
Pte. Mark R. Bell, Vulcan.

Seaford Highlands
Pte. Harry Lawrence, Alston.
Princess Pats C.I.L.
Pte. Winston Dobson
Duke of Connaught's Own Rifles
Pte. Don Pearson, Brant.
8th Field Ambulance, R.C.A.M.C.
Lance-Corporal R. D. McElroy, Vulcan.
Pte. Russell Carruthers, Vulcan.
Pte. Myer Johnston, Vulcan.
Pte. Owen Mosby, Vulcan.
R.C.A.S.C.
Pte. Blundy Jensen
R. A. M. C.
Sergeant Edward Adams, Vulcan.

Royal Canadian Engineers
Pte. Bert Connelly, Vulcan.
Royal Canadian Corps of Signals
Pte. Milton Lewis, Vulcan.
Royal Canadian Air Force
Pilot Officer John M. Jamison, Vulcan.
Corporal Garnet P. Discher
Aircraftsman Lloyd Jones, Vulcan.
Aircraftsman Allan McAskle, Vulcan.
Aircraftsman Dave Melnick, Vulcan.
Aircraftsman Ken Halstead, Vulcan.
Aircraftsman William Bittorf, Vulcan.
Aircraftsman Lloyd Bittorf, Vulcan.
Aircraftsman Jack McFarlane

Toby Knife Dies At Age 31 Years

A resident of the Vulcan district for the past ten years, Torbjorn (Toby) Knife died on Thursday, August 1st, following a short illness. Born at Skatselv, Norway, in 1909, Mr. Knife came from Norway to the Ponoka district in 1929, moving to the Vulcan district a year later and residing here since that time. In 1936 he married Margaret Hoffman.

Surviving are his wife and young son, Donald, one brother, Andy, of the Vulcan district, and his parents and two brothers and sisters in Norway.

Funeral services, conducted by Rev. M. Dobson, were held from the United Church on Saturday, August 3rd, and interment was made in the Vulcan cemetery. Arrangements were in charge of the Kelly Funeral Home.

Must Register Guns

According to an amendment to the defence of Canada regulations published in the Canada Gazette, August 2, every owner of a rifle or shotgun in Canada who has not registered them by Sept. 15, will be liable to a fine not exceeding \$50 or to imprisonment for a period not exceeding 30 days, or to both.

The registration will be carried out by the Royal Canadian Mounted Police and certificates of registration will be issued to owners, whose possession of such firearms is approved.

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Limit on Guarantee

QUITE a number of westerners will see reason in the opinion of W. F. Rickart, M.P., for Durham, Ontario, when he said recently in the House that the producer should not demand guaranteed price on more than 5000 bushels of wheat in any one crop year. Mr. Rickart said: "The Ontario farmers are willing to help needy western farmers, but huge mechanized farms can deliver up to 60,000 bushels a year and I do not believe they are entitled to the full protection of guaranteed price."

Local farmers have from time to time expressed something the same thought. One viewpoint frequently heard is that the guaranteed price should be better than 70 cents, but on smaller bushelage per farmer. A guaranteed initial price of \$1.00 on 2500 bushels from any one farm, the balance of output to go on world market, would have much more widespread benefit. It is possible that the cost might not be any more to the country at large than a guaranteed minimum over all.

No one knows better than westerners that the trend toward large scale farming is destructive to rural settlement. The small farmer is absolutely dependent on a reasonable price for grain. His continuance on his quarter or half section is possible only if a fair price is maintained. But if his returns are such as to give him a decent livelihood, it will mean permanent rural settlement, families growing up, more purchasing power which will affect all industry. It is incomparably better for the community, for the west and for all Canada, to have ten families living off 3,000 acres of wheat, than to have one family operating the 3000 acres.

Better farming on small acreage is a necessity if the country is to remain populated, but the only way in which this practical aim may be realized is by giving every advantage to the output from these small farms.

Another virtue of the small farm is that, as a rule, it tends toward mixed farming, especially in sections of the country adapted for stock raising. The entire acreage is not devoted to wheat, whereas the huge units under mechanized operation specialize in wheat, and wheat only. This condition is responsible to quite a degree for the grain glut.

Intellectual Blackout

AN editorial in the British Medical Journal presents anew, the arrest of progress which must be charged against Hitler. In the field of research alone, the blackout in Europe is already having its effect, and the extent of loss, which may be sustained no man can measure. When war broke out the Rockefeller Foundation had 110 appropriations in 22 European countries. This expenditure was along specific lines of medical research. Today only two of the universities so endowed are not in enemy occupation. At the beginning of the war certain world famed universities of Germany were closed, attendance at University of Paris shrank to one-fourth. In all countries the demands of the military situation have decimated faculties and student bodies, and laboratories have been geared to the war machine.

"Some effort has been made to keep promising young scientists at their work" says the British Medical Journal, "but who can say what gifted minds, as yet showing no special genius, are drafted into combatant ranks? And it is sad to read that by the end of 1939, 154 Fellowships of the Rockefeller Foundation were terminated because of the war."

Let it be thought that leadership in special phases of medicine, has passed to the American field, Dr. Raymond Fordick, American president of the Foundation, points to leadership in certain lines which is still unquestionably in Europe. The Scandinavian group, for example, was focussing on techniques of chemistry and physics on problems of biology, to a degree which could not be approached elsewhere. Of the six Nobel prizes for science in 1939, five went to Europe and one to America.

"If, because of war exhaustion or chaos," says Dr. Fordick, "the universities and laboratories of Europe should be forced to suspend fundamental activities, even for five years, the consequence to the intellectual life of America will be alarming. If Europe freezes up, it will be difficult to keep the fires burning elsewhere."

District Crop Testing

(From The High River Times)

IT should be of interest to farmers of this district to attend the field day, under the Crop Testing plan, which is to be held at Mazeppa on August 17. Sponsors of this plan for improvement of farm crops are the Searle Grain Co., the Home Grain Co. and Midland and Pacific, and the field day provides a demonstration and study of the standards attained by numbers of grain growers of this district.

There are 116 central plots in the three prairie provinces, sponsored by the three above mentioned grain companies. At each plot there have been sown from 150 to 300 samples from grain in the vicinity and adjacent areas. Attending such field days are cerealists and plant breeders from Dominion experimental farms, seed branches and departments of agriculture.

The plots are analyzed for trueness-to-variety, with classifications A, B and C. "A" indicates a high stand-

Pertinent Topics

DISCUSSED BY H. C.

The reason given by Mr. King for failure to introduce bills in the Senate is that it was desirable that most of the bills this session should be introduced in the Commons. That reason could be applied to any session, but the job insurance bill is one which might better have gone to the Senate first. It was held back until near the close of the session, introduced into a busy Commons and handed over to the Senate when all members were eager to escape the heat of Ottawa.

Impudence and impertinence were equally blended in the threat of Mr. Coldwell, M.P., that if the Senate rejected the insurance bill, the Senate itself would or should be dissolved. The C.C.F. clubs in Alberta that petitioned he be taken into the Cabinet will note that while he exercises his right to oppose, he would liquidate any body that opposes him.

In the same speech in which he berated Britain and the United States for cherishing imperialistic ambitions, Molotov boasted that Russia had added thirty million people to its already swollen population.

Because the Vatican newspaper published Allied as well as German war reports when other Italian papers published only the German version, its subscription list ran up to 180,000. When Italy joined the war, it had to quit giving the Allied version and its subscription list dropped to 38,000. The reduction indicates that there are still people in Italy who would like to hear the other side of the story. They have grown sick and tired of the daily adulation of the Duce and the way the news of world is spoon-fed to them.

It has been said in behalf of the Saturday Evening Post, that it prints stories giving the British side as well as the German. In the other war, as in this, and in the interim, that paper has been editorially anti-British. There may be good reasons why it would be impolitic to ban its circulation here. The same is true of the Chicago Tribune which uses up a lot of Canadian spruce to vent its Irish hate of Britain. Canadian advertisers and subscribers can, however, do some things that the government cannot do.

That was a good joke the London Labor paper, the Daily Herald, got up. It said that the delay in attacking Britain was caused by disagreement among German experts, who were frankly stumped by the difficulty of showing that Germany had to invade Britain because Britain intended to invade herself first. The subtlety of this will baffle the squareheads.

What Hitler thinks of mankind and morals he disclosed in Mein Kampf. What Mussolini thinks is disclosed in an article he wrote for an English magazine in 1924. His supreme was Machiavelli whom he regards as the supreme statesman. He (Machiavelli) had a very low opinion of mankind in general. People can be ruled more through fear than through love, because fear carries with it the dread of punishment, which has more influence than a sense of duty or friendship, or the calculations of interest. He had no confidence in the theory that government should be based on the consent of the governed.

"I cannot depart from the conclusions of Machiavelli," said the Duce, "in fact I have to be even more severe." What has happened in half-a-dozen countries and is now happening in the Balkans will, of course, confirm him in his views on fear and force and in the soundness of Machiavelli's dictum that "Armed prophets conquer; those who are unarmed are ruined." There is one thing he does not quote, viz., where Machiavelli advises against making an alliance with a stronger prince because you become his vassal after you have helped him succeed.

Nazi airmen bombed a Welsh golf links last Sunday. And wasn't it just like them to go away without replacing the divots.

Since their organization was outlawed, many of Jehovah's Witnesses have become defendants.

Hitler to Petain: — Send England a stern protest at once—she has been bombing our oil tanks in your country.

Miss McPhail may have to tell the electors of Saskatoon whether she has exercised the sex privilege of changing her mind. She was against cadet-training and the Boy Scout movement because they smacked of militarism and therefore must accept some responsibility for the state of our defences and the state of the public mind about such things. The United Reformers have accepted her as their candidate without asking any questions, so far as we are aware, but many of them would no doubt, give her more cordial support if she would admit she was wrong. She and pacifists in all democracies gave unwittingly a lot of help to the disturbers and destroyers.

It is to be hoped Germany understands that being short of living space, Britain cannot afford to take prisoners.

Spain and France are appealing to the United States to send liberal supplies of food and fuel to them. They count upon American influence to get these goods through the blockade, but, generous as your Uncle Sam is, he does not regard these governments as being free to resist German pressure, and suspects that they would reach Germany or displace French and Spanish products taken by Germany.

ard of excellence, well suited for use as neighborhood seed. "B" implies that the sample is growing mixed, and the suggestion is that the farm should secure some new seed. "C" means that there are too many varieties, or possibly an unsuitable and low-yielding variety.

The field day is of value in providing information, not only to those whose samples are in the plot, but to all those interested in efficient production. Every thrifty farmer knows that money may be needlessly lost in growing grain of inferior grade and small yield. A crop may have a mixture of varieties, and although each variety in itself may be good, it is rarely that they all mature evenly, and the result is unequal quality at threshing time. This is objectionable to the miller.

The crop testing plan has received high endorsement from cerealists as the most far-reaching project so far devised in its benefit to grain growers. The average farmers can be reached only by personal contact, and the district grain agent is the best source of contact. Hence the plots grown under the supervision of the district agent of one of the sponsoring companies.

News and Views From Other Papers

Practically Unanimous

Even the Toronto Globe and Mail has come to admit that L. W. Brockington is a very capable person and Prime Minister King is right in having his help and such confession means the motion is carried in the affirmative almost unanimously. — Calgary Albertan.

The Oxford Pledge

Anti-war sentiment among American youth, and especially in the colleges, owes much to that famous Oxford Pledge of half a dozen years ago in which a supposed representative body of British university youth took the vow not to fight for King and country. Not long after this vote the Oxford Union adopted another resolution proclaiming the Red Flag as its favorite flag. That second vote, as far as one recalls, did not find many imitators in this country, but the Oxford pledge in modified form swept American campuses like wildfire. — From the New York Times.

Finger Printing Canada

The idea of having everyone in Canada over 16 years of age register is a splendid one and will meet with the approval of every loyal citizen. But the government should go farther than mere registration. While it is undertaking the task everyone who registers should be compelled to give his or her fingerprints. Even before the war it was the opinion of most people that there should be a method of registering fingerprints. Now the means and the method are at hand and the government shouldn't overlook this golden opportunity to get complete identification of every person in Canada. The records would be invaluable for army and civic purposes and by making it part of the registration it could be done without any extra labor or expense. — Amherstburg Echo.

Paying For Planes

The women of Canada deserve all the credit possible for the various schemes they have undertaken to purchase training planes and other types of aircraft for the war effort. But in my opinion there is some confusion in the public mind about what is being attempted and accomplished in these drives. Their net effect is to help the Minister of Finance and not the Department of Defence. They are schemes for helping to pay for the war otherwise than by taxes or loans. They will not result in getting one man or one plane to the front more quickly than would otherwise be the case. Our air defence forces are now limited in their expansion only by the physical capacity of North American plants to produce planes, and by the ability of the training schools to turn out pilots.

Not long ago I saw that the city of Victoria had donated ten thousand dollars to help buy a bomber. The net effect of that decision was to make the city pay for what the Dominion treasury would otherwise have had to defray. The national treasury is the only public treasury in the best position to levy taxes or borrow money for war purposes. We will probably all end up better off if we all stick to our respective fields. — Elmore Philpotts in Vernon News.

No Provincial Bank

Alberta has no need of another bank, especially a political bank run by the Social Credit Government. We have banking facilities aplenty now. Our trouble isn't lack of banking facilities or bank credit; it is a lack of market for our products, and a consequent lack of basis for credit. Alberta will have a hundred and fifty million bushels of wheat this fall—worthy a credit of \$200,000,000 in the last war—worthy how much credit now? The proposed Bank of Alberta wouldn't help one iota in solving the problem of finding a market for Alberta's wheat. It wouldn't add a jot a tittle to our productive enterprises. All it would do would be to provide jobs for more Social Credit henchmen, and we have 1000 too many such jobs now.

Having saved us from an expensive banking experiment, perhaps the House Banking Committee could get rid for us of the fifth wheel credit houses with which we are now saddled at a cost of \$335,000 a year out of the treasury—when we can find no money to build roads to get our goods to market. — Lethbridge Herald.

The Even Tenor

In the meantime life in Alberta and in Western Canada follows the even tenor of its way, and while famine is threatening in Europe, wheat will pile up on western farms when the coming harvest is reaped. Our problem is to dispose of our wheat surplus and the problem of Europe is to get enough to eat.

Life is normal in Alberta. The bombers and blackouts are far away, and while we are at war, we seem to be far removed from war. The Alberta sun and showers usher in another day of comparative peace while over in Great Britain there is no prospect of a peaceful hour for weeks to come.

But England will live long after Hitler is forgotten and the Nazi hegemony is nothing but a bad dream. In the words of Wordsworth: "We must be free or die; who speak the tongue That Shakespeare spoke; the faith and morals hold Which Milton held—In every thing we are sprung Of earth's first blood, have titles manifold." — Stettler Independent

For using obscene language in a public place, an Athabasca citizen was given thirty days' imprisonment. — Blairmore Enterprise.

Robert W. Service has arrived in Canada. He was in Russia when war broke out and tells a grim story of fleeing before German bombers who blew up cities in the neutral countries.

Britain Needs You

(Composed by F.F.H., a 12-year-old boy of Okotoks.)

Come on you pilots of the air
You can put old Hitler in the chair,
And give Mussolini a darn good scare.
Show them that the Britons are really there

Come on my dear
Come on my dear
Come on and volunteer
We need you now if we never did before
We need you now to win the war.

Men of you who like the ground
Get out and chase old Hitler around
Teach him to swim and how to die
Like soldiers of the Lord
For the glory of the world.

Come on my dear
Come on my dear
Come on and volunteer
We need you now if we never did before
We need you now to win the war.

Last but not least those who are o.
the seas
Come on and fight for liberty.
Make sure that Britain rules the waves
For Britons never shall be slaves,
And we will get rid of those German knaves.

Come on my dear,
Come on my dear,
Come on and volunteer
We need you now if we never did before
We need you now to win the war.

A new well is being drilled by Davis petroleum near Lundbrek.

In July 1940 in Calgary there were 295 marriages, just 147 more than July 1939.

Earl and Countess of Egmont gave their home for a picnic in aid of the Red Cross last week-end.

Alberta hog marketings are almost 50% over last year. Total marketings over a 21-week period were 469,732

Made last year by the Edmonton Junior Chamber of Commerce, a movie film is being shown in the Canadian Pavilion at the New York World's Fair. Stressing beauty spots and major attractions throughout the city, the film was shown to service club and other organizations during last year's beautification drive. Officials of the Junior Chamber are confident it will help promote interest in Alberta's capital city.

Church Notes

GO TO CHURCH SUNDAY
O God! that men would see a little clearer,
Or judge less harshly where they cannot see;
Oh God! that men would draw a little nearer
To each other, and they'd be nearer
— L. W. V.

ANGELIC CHURCH

It was impossible to announce in this paper that the Rev. Victor Smith, would once more occupy the pulpit in St. Aldhelm's church on the first Sunday in August as the exchange was not arranged until Friday evening. There will be one Anglican church service only in Vulcan on the eleventh day of August. Holy Communion at 11 a.m. Eastway school service as usual at 3 p.m.

UNITED CHURCH

Sunday August 11th
11 a.m. morning worship. The service will be arranged and conducted by the W.M.S. with an address by Mr. A. J. Maisey. Special music. All are cordially invited.

CHURCH OF CHRIST

L. Wilmer VanAuken, Minister, Ph. 903
Order of Worship
Sunday: Bible school at 10.00, teachers for all ages. Morning worship and the Lord's Supper at 11 a.m.; message "What will I do with Jesus?" Christian Endeavour at 9.00, Marjorie Lommatzsch group in charge; 7.15, Vesper music and meditation time; 7.30, Evangelistic service, message, "Tragedy Stalks the Backslider."
Wednesday: 7.00 p.m., choir practice; 8.00, Bible Study and prayer meeting, please bring Bibles, notebooks and pencils.

Saturday: Special meeting of the church board called by the chairman, time 8.00, Saturday evening at the church.

Berrywater

Weekly church service at the Berrywater school each Sunday at 3 o'clock. Good singing and a gospel message, under auspices of the Church of Christ gospel team of Vulcan led by the pastor. Guest speaker this Lord's day. This is a service offered to the community and we hope many will take advantage of it.

Reid Hill

Beginning this Lord's Day at 3 o'clock the gospel team of the Church of Christ under the leadership of Pastor L. VanAuken will begin weekly services at the Reid Hill Baptist church. We sing, preach and, to the best of our ability, live the gospel. We cordially invite any who wish to attend to visit these services.

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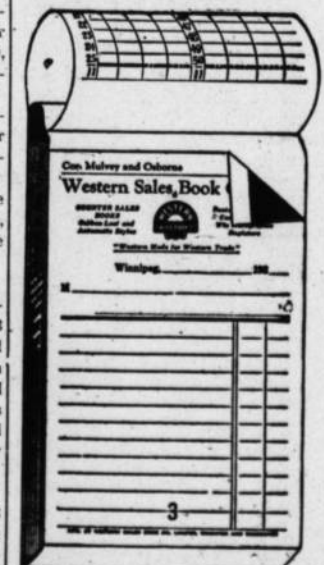
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This Is No Time For Extravagance

(By B. K. Sandwell in Toronto Saturday Night)

Now that everybody in the country with an income of \$2 a day or more has been made a direct contributor to the National Exchequer, and people with what used to be considered a very moderate income are being asked to give a quarter of it to the Dominion Government, it is a good time for everybody to begin to look over his extravagances and prune out all of them that he can. Now that everybody is being taxed, and most of us are being taxed rather more than we can bear, I look forward to a sudden discovery on the part of the Canadian people that it is time that quite a few million dollars a year were saved on our competitive railways system. I feel rather sorry for a nation whose rulers spend half an hour discussing the possible saving of \$3,000 a year on Mr. Brockington, and at least so far this season, no time at all on discussing the possible saving of \$30,000,000 or more on the railways.

Provincial Spending

But a lot of our extravagance is provincial. It was all right to be a bit tolerant about having people doing unnecessary jobs in the government's employ, when we knew that if they were not doing these jobs they would be on relief and would be getting money out of the taxpayers anyhow. That is no longer the case. In every establishment of the Ontario Liquor Control Board, the province is paying at least two men, and in some of them four men, for doing something which is of absolutely no value to the community, and which merely has the effect of putting the purchaser to a little more trouble. It is no argument to say that the wages of these men come out of the profits of the liquor traffic. I am not suggesting that these men should be sacked in order that the price of liquor may be reduced. I am suggesting that they should be sacked in order that the net revenue to the province from the sale of liquor should be increased by the amount of their salaries, thereby slightly relieving the strain on the pocket of the overburdened taxpayer.

Only One of Many

But this is only one of the more conspicuous of the many ways in which the provincial government could save money. And it will have to save money, because under the system of private enterprise there is a limit to the total share of the national income which can be taken by public authorities in the form of taxation, and we must be getting extremely close to that limit at the present time. It is all very well to remind us that the income tax in Great Britain is considerably more severe than even our own new one, but the fact remains that the British do not have to maintain any provincial governments in addition to their national one, and that the amount taken out of their pockets by indirect taxation is very much less than with us.

We must all economize; but the people who are spending other people's money—the authorities which get their money by taxation—should economize even more carefully than anybody else.

The farmer who has pride in his farm and buildings, let's you read the name at the entrance to his farm on the side of his barn.

Americans now do not have to take an oath of allegiance to the King before enlisting in the army or airforce. This has removed a stumbling block to many Americans who wanted to enlist but did not want to be without a country after discharge.

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Red Cross Society Active Throughout The World

Under Treaty Agreement 64 Nations Recognize Society as Protector of Prisoners; Rumors Exploded

In a recent Red Cross address made by Mrs. Plumptre, chairman of war activities, she re-emphasized the important work of the Red Cross in relation to prisoners of war in foreign countries.

But under the Red Cross Treaties, signed by 64 nations, the Red Cross is recognized as the friend and protector of the prisoners. Each belligerent nation sends to the International Red Cross committee at Geneva a list of the names of the prisoners they have taken and the prisons in which they are confined. The International Red Cross committee forwards this information to the Red Cross Society in the country to which each prisoner belongs and also arranges for postcards and letters to pass between the prisoner and his family. The next of kin may send four parcels a year to a prisoner but they may not contain any food except chocolate bars. The responsibility for sending food parcels to the prisoners falls entirely upon the National Red Cross Society. The Canadian Red Cross has already sent over to its London office more than \$50,000 worth of food, put up in small cans and jars, to be used in sending twice a week an eleven-pound parcel of carefully selected foods to each Canadian prisoner. These parcels cost about \$3.00 to \$4.00 each and are packed and despatched by a corps of voluntary Red Cross workers in London. "But do the prisoners really get the parcels?" you ask. Hundreds of veterans of the last war have testified by letter and by word of mouth that they received their parcels and that the food they contained saved them from starvation. The other day, a member of our Red Cross headquarters' staff asked me if we were sending parcels to prisoners in this war; "I hope you are," he added, "because I was a prisoner for three years in a German coal mine and it was the Red Cross parcels that saved my life." As an additional safeguard in this war, the International Red Cross committee is sending its inspectors through the camps to make sure that the prisoners are properly treated, and get their letters and parcels.

Tracing Lies Re Red Cross

Dr. Routley, another speaker, told of \$2,000,000 being devoted to material for making supplies by 9,000 groups of women in Canada. Not one article of these supplies, he said, had ever been sold by the Canadian Red Cross, and rumors of sale of Red Cross articles is false. Here is a typical story which we have investigated: A private stationed at a large Ontario camp was short of socks. He went to the Red Cross depot at the camp and asked for four pairs. The girl in charge said, "That will be a dollar, please." The private, so the story went, was prepared to take an affidavit on the truth of this statement.

You can see for yourselves how untrue the story was when I tell you that the Red Cross has no depot at the camp in question and distributes its supplies only on indent of the Commanding Officers of military units. Nor has the Red Cross any girl in charge of supplies at the camp. Comforts for the soldiers are distributed by an official named by the commanding officer.

However, because those repeating the rumor insisted that the private would swear to the truth of it, we took the matter up with the military authorities. The private named was located. Of his own free will he signed the following statement:

"I have no knowledge of ever receiving as a gift, buying or wearing socks made by or for the Canadian Red Cross Society."

"I have no recollection of ever making a statement to the effect that I obtained Red Cross socks in this camp or elsewhere."

"I have never been asked for money or Red Cross socks, nor have I ever said money for them."

"Furthermore, I have no knowledge of any soldier having paid money for Red Cross socks, or even being asked by anyone to pay money for Red Cross socks."

There is the story. Remember, no matter how convincingly such rumors are repeated in your hearing, they may spring from deliberate attempts to throw a monkey-wrench into the machinery of the international organization of the Red Cross.

Biggest Wheat Order in History

Britain Orders 100,000,000 Bushels From Canadian Wheat Board

The largest single wheat purchase in history has been the buying of 100 million bushels of Canadian wheat by the British food ministry. This purchase is made from the Canadian wheat board, and will be for the cereal year July 1940 to 1941. This will represent a large proportion of a year's wheat consumption.

The British ministry has arranged for wheat also from Australia, but it is not the same as Canada's No. 1 quality. Hon. J. A. MacKinnon, trade minister, has not stated the price but says it is considerably above market level. One guess is that the price was 85 cents.

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Flour Little Effect On Bread Prices

(By Leonard Neabitt of Alta. Wheat Pool)

Under the new federal government wheat regulations a tax of 15c a bushel is imposed on all wheat flour milled in Canada for domestic consumption. The average annual Canadian consumption is about four bushels per head, or a total of 44 million bushels. Consequently, this tax may be expected to realize about \$6,600,000 a year. This money will go to the Wheat Board and will be used either to minimize losses suffered from the sale of wheat overseas or distributed on a pro rata basis to the farmers who delivered wheat to the Board.

Hector McKinnon, chairman of wartime prices and trade board, stated the imposition of this tax should not increase the cost of bread to Canadian consumers.

A pound of wheat makes a pound of bread. Wheat would have to go up 60c a bushel to increase the cost of wheat in a pound loaf of bread by 1c. But this processing tax only increased the cost of wheat by 15c a bushel, so the increased cost of wheat flour in a one pound loaf of bread will be 4c. In a 20 ounce loaf of bread the increase in the wheat cost will be about .031, or less than one-third of a cent.

As a matter of fact, the cost of the wheat ingredient in bread is only about 13 percent of the total. Some time ago the United States Federal Trade Commission listed the proportion of costs of the various processes of making bread and distributing the product as follows:

	Percent
Wheat Producer	13
Transportation	4
Grain handling and storage	3
Miller	5
Baker	60
Retailer	15
	100

Col. Lindbergh has again lined up in a pro-Nazi role in radio speeches, earning the title as "chief of the fifth column of U.S.A."

Verses In Praise Of Western Land

Leonard Calder, formerly sheriff of Saskatoon, now residing in Montreal, and president of the Bird-Archer Co., Ltd., a railway supply company, accompanied Sam Coultis to High River last Thursday and after his introduction at Rotary, referred to his love and admiration of this western land, and its people. Not being a poet or the son of one, he decided an attempt had to be made and here we present our readers a copy of his very excellent attempt:

"I would rather live in Western Canada, than any other land. Because there is no place on earth so favored by God's hands. It was here we learned that God was good by Nature's open book. And you'll find good fellowship every where, no matter where you look. We love the rolling hills, the valleys and the plains. The spacious fields of wheat, oats, barley and other grains. Combined to make a picture, the hungry heart to love (love)."

But best of all, we love the people, they're noble, true and brave. They're sincere. It's generally, 'Hello my friend' my name is 'so and so' and yours?

Why it puts you on good terms at once and confidence assures. We never say goodbye in this land when we depart. It's so long, I hope to meet you again, and it flows right from the heart. It seems to me that life is sweeter where people try to understand. That is why I would rather live in Western Canada than any other land."

United Farmers New Calgary Home

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Robert Gardiner, president of the U.F.A. presided Wednesday afternoon at the ceremony of formal opening of the new U.F.A. block. This handsome new building on 11th Avenue East, Calgary, combines offices and co-operative enterprises. From this headquarters the U.F.A. will carry on its increasing business in connection with farm activities. The exterior of the large building is white with red trimmings, while the interior is in cream and green. A comfortable rest room

is provided for women and children. Offices of the "Western Farm Leader" are housed in the same building. Membership in the U.F.A. has been reviving in recent years, with a growing emphasis on the economic angle of farm industry. The Central Co-operative has been expanding to a point where in itself it is big business.

It is hoped to enlist Czechs in Canada for the army.

SERIOUS CAR ACCIDENT

Three Lacombe women, grandmother, mother and daughter, were killed and four others injured as two cars sideswiped each other near Olds on Saturday. The dead are Mrs. Hicks, 74, Mrs. MacDonald, 49, and Miss Jean MacDonald 20. Injured are Daniel MacDonald, bank manager of Lacombe, his son, Mrs. Gerda Simmons of Vancouver and Mrs. F. Benson, Claresholm.

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EVERYONE CAN HELP—To keep the cost of this registration at a minimum the Government is asking the co-operation of all public-minded citizens in the work of registration. You can help by getting in touch with your local registration officials and offering your services.

WHERE TO REGISTER

Registration offices are being set up by electoral districts in the same manner as in the last Dominion election. Registrants are required to register in the regular polling subdivisions of their own constituencies. But should a registrant be in some other province or district out of the regular polling subdivision on Registration Days, he or she may register at any registration office convenient, upon satisfactory explanation to the local deputy registrar.

Penalty for Non-Registration—Failure to register will make any male or female, married or single, over the age of 16 years, liable to a fine not exceeding Two hundred dollars, or to imprisonment for a term not exceeding Three months, or to both such fine and imprisonment, and moreover to a further penalty not exceeding Ten dollars for each day, after the day upon which he should have registered, during which he shall continue to be unregistered.

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Minister of National War Services

NATIONAL REGISTRATION REGULATIONS, 1940
REGISTRATION CERTIFICATE

This certificate must always be carried upon the person of the registrant.

Electoral District No. _____
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(Name) _____
(Name if any) _____

THIS IS TO CERTIFY THAT _____
residing at _____
was duly registered under the above-mentioned Regulations this _____ day of _____ 1940.
Deputy Registrar.

Registration Dates
August 19th 20th 21st

Edwin Baggs of Vancouver, a 77-year-old man, wants to enlist as a pilot.

Mayor Houde of Montreal, who protested the compulsory registration plan, has been arrested and placed in an internment camp.



CANADA CALLS
Be Prepared
JOIN THE MILITIA NOW
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Legion War Service Now in Iceland

Funds Going to Comfort and Education of Canadian Troops in Northern Bases

The Canadian Legion War Service funds are being extended to Iceland where Canadian troops are stationed. Clarence Burden, high school teacher and sports director, has been sent out as supervisor. Icelandic phrase books have been added to the study courses which are available.

Newfoundland is another scene of Legion activities. Sports equipment and education are part of the facilities provided by Legion funds. For those in hospital there are magazines, cigarettes, etc.

A canteen and recreation hut is established near Kingston, including reading room, camp register, bulletin boards, etc., together with all writing room service. Notepaper and facilities for writing home always on hand.

Read the ads and buy at home.

District News

(Continued from Front Page)

Milo.

William Laughren was a Majorville visitor with relatives on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Davis and daughter of Portland are visitors at the home of the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Davis. Mrs. Ernest Lind of Calgary was also a visitor at the home of her parents on Sunday.

Miss Agnes Engen spent the weekend at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. Engen.

Mr. and Mrs. B. Dann and daughter Mildred, were Lethbridge visitors last week.

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Mr. and Mrs. O. V. Hickman accompanied by Mrs. A. McKay were recent visitors to Calgary.

Mr. and Mrs. Peter Bowie were Valley visitors last week.

Miss Gladys Hanson and Miss Margaret Hanson spent the week-end at the G. E. Drummond home.

Mrs. R. Lucas and daughter Shirley of Vancouver, were recent guests at the Jack Lucas home. While here they will also visit relatives in the Vulcan and Armada districts.

Miss Janet Osler has recently joined the staff of the Bank of Nova Scotia in Milo as a stenographer.

Mr. Roy Haggis is vacationing at Banff.

Mrs. Bruce Crabb has sufficiently recovered from her recent illness to return home from the hospital.

Mrs. Venetta has had as recent guests her grandmother, Mrs. Robertson, and an uncle, Frank Robertson of Lethbridge. Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Robertson and daughter, Beverly, were also Sunday guests at the Venetta home.

"Scotty" Horn of Medicine Hat joined his wife recently who has been visiting at the home of her mother, Mrs. Agnes McKay, for the past ten days. Cutting with binders will commence the first of the week in the Milo district. Recent reports claim a loss of 50% from saw-fly infestation in this district.

BRANT

Mrs. George Bateman was the hostess at a shower last Friday in honor of Mrs. Lloyd Bignell, nee Yvonne Elston. Mrs. Bignell was the recipient of many useful gifts from her numerous friends.

Mrs. Bill Buchanan is a guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Collier at High River.

The regular meeting of the Brant Red Cross was held at the home of Mrs. Ira Rhodes last Thursday.

Miss Helen Gingrass is visiting with parents and friends in the Brant district. Upon her return to the Holy Cross hospital in Calgary, she will enter her final year of training.

The United Church young people's society are rebuilding the tennis court near the elevators. A lively interest is being shown and work is progressing rapidly.

Mr. and Mrs. Mervin McIntyre are holidaying at Calgary and Banff. Miss Margaret Tedford of Calgary is a visitor at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Don Shultz.

A survey taken among Brant elevator men reveals this district is more fortunate than some in regards to elevator space. The Pioneer Grain Co. has unloaded a car of lumber and will shortly commence construction of a 30,000 bushel annex. The Wheat Pool elevator will also construct an annex and the National Elevator will utilize an annex which has been unused for many years. It is estimated that from 35 to 50 per cent. of the crop will be handled with little difficulty, even if an acute car shortage develops.

Mr. and Mrs. Wolfe of Foremost were week-end visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Buchanan.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Swanson of Bircham, Alta., were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Esler last week.

Munroe McKay has returned from summer school at Edmonton. Charles Fulton and Miss Nancy Hay have returned to their homes at Vulcan after attending the summer classes.

Miss Jean McNeil accompanied Miss Irene Gould on a week-end visit to the home of the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Gould.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Fletcher and family are holidaying at Sylvan Lake.

Premier Hepburn has announced that high schools will be closed till Oct. in order to release labor for the farms.

George Black of the Yukon, says that sects refusing to accept Canada's war responsibility should have property expropriated, and should be deported.

Next year, in June 1941, the eighth census of the Dominion of Canada will be taken. It is an established rule since confederation that the census be taken every ten years.

Celebrate 61 Years Of Married Life

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Swartz of Portland, Visiting Family at Brant and Ensign; Picnic in Park

An event of outstanding interest was celebrated at High River park recently. This was a picnic held in honor of the sixty-first wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Swartz of Portland, Oregon. Mr. and Mrs. Swartz have been visiting their daughter, Mrs. J. A. Prater of Brant and their son, Mr. F. L. Swartz of Ensign and his wife. Other members of the family who came up for the reunion are a son, Mr. P. W. Swartz, who is financial manager of Oklahoma university and Mrs. Swartz; and also their daughter, Mrs. Lucy Lockett of Forest Grove, Oregon. This is the first time in 31 years that all members of the family have been together at the same time.

Over one hundred friends and neighbors from Ensign and Brant attended the picnic celebration in High River park on July 27. It was a real reunion because the honor guests, Mr. and Mrs. Swartz Sr., had lived in Ensign district from 1914 to 1934. Many happy memories of the past were recalled and all enjoyed the genial community gathering.

Mr. and Mrs. Swartz Sr., are 80 and 78 years of age respectively. They are in the best of health, and have greatly enjoyed their summer amongst old scenes. Both have had wide experience in pioneering life in the Western States, and have many interesting tales to tell. Mr. Swartz was born in Ohio in 1860, and as a lad of fourteen travelled with his family by covered wagon to Kansas. It was in Kansas that he met Mary Rischell, of Pennsylvania, Dutch descent, and they were married in 1879. From Kansas the young people moved on to Oklahoma in 1894, seeking new land when an Indian allotment was opened to the white man. This trip also was made by covered wagon. The pioneering strain was strong and in 1914 they moved up to Ensign, Alberta, remaining there for 20 years. It is interesting to note the 20-year periods in Mr. Swartz' life—20 years in Kansas—20 years in Oklahoma—20 years in Alberta. For the past six years Mr. and Mrs. Swartz have lived in Portland, Oregon, and it is the hope of everyone that they round out another 20 year period in the beautiful city of Portland.

In addition to the two sons and two daughters attending the wedding anniversary, Mr. and Mrs. Swartz have 12 grandchildren and 8 great grandchildren. Six of the third generation live in Alberta. Mr. and Mrs. F. L. Swartz of Ensign motored to Portland a month ago to bring their parents up for the holiday and reunion.

Hailstones as big as baseballs battered Estevan district, destroying the first good crop in 12 years. Conservative leader Meighen in the Senate urged that the unemployment insurance bill be left over till after the war.

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Local News Items

George Pearce has his brother from Portland, Ore., visiting him.

Miss Margo Green is a Drumheller visitor for a couple of weeks.

Mrs. Shimp of Nanton was a visitor recently at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Shimp.

Miss Mildred Sutherland of Calgary is visiting at the home of her uncle Dave Sutherland.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Brown will shortly take up residence in the Jack Lucas house.

Miss Eileen Clark is spending a few days with Miss Annabelle Murphy in Calgary.

The Thigh Hill W.I. will hold a garden party at the home of Mrs. O. B. Roe on Wednesday afternoon, Aug. 14.

Gus Spaeth spent the week-end in British Columbia, returning home Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Brown Jr., and Mr. and Mrs. Bill Wylie, Jr., were Waterton visitors over the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Douglass of Nanton and Mr. and Mrs. Martin King and son of East Coulee were weekend visitors in the district.

Mr. and Mrs. John Hunter and family and Mrs. J. W. Hunter and Robert motored to Lethbridge on Sunday to visit relatives.

Miss Esa Tuttle, who has been attending summer school will spend this month at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. Tuttle.

Master Carl Nelson of Macleod is spending a couple of weeks at the home of his aunt, Mrs. Wallace McIntyre.

Herbert McDonald and Jackie and Bobby Deans are attending the Alberta Young People's junior camp at Loch Leaven, Midnapore.

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Fall Rye Good For Later Pasture

(Experimental Farm Notes)

Fall rye has proved to be one of the best crops for early spring pasture. Seeded as early as August 1, fall rye will usually provide some fall pasture that year, but if seeded later than September 15 it should not be grazed until the following spring, states F.S. Nowosad, Division of Forage Plants, Dominion Experimental Farms Service.

Fall rye seeded alone in the spring is not a very good supplementary pasture to a permanent summer pasture but if seeded in a mixture with oats, it will produce good yields of nutritious and palatable forage. At first, the bulk of the forage will be oats, although even at that time the fall rye

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FOR SALE—A few hundred bushels of oats at 25 cents per bushel. Apply Isaac Jacobson, phone 507, Vulcan.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to thank all our neighbors and friends who were so kind and helpful during our recent bereavement.

—Mrs. Lola Clark and Family

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We wish to thank all our friends, the hospital staff and Dr. Carson for the kindness shown us in our recent sad bereavement.

—Mrs. Knive and Donald

IN APPRECIATION

We wish to extend our sincere thanks and appreciation to Dr. Carson, the hospital staff and friends for the courtesy, kindness and sympathy, along with the many floral tributes bestowed upon us during our recent sad bereavement.

—Mr. John Fulton and family

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We wish to express our heartfelt thanks to our friends and neighbors for their kindness and sympathy at the time of our bereavement. Our sincere thanks is also extended to the Lutheran choir and all those who gave their assistance.

—William J. Sealock and Family

will give a good “bottom” to the pasture. If not grazed too close, fall rye will continue to supply considerable pasture until freeze-up.

The use of fall rye for early spring pasture is becoming increasingly popular. In experiments conducted at most Branch Experimental Stations and at Ottawa, fall rye has provided from two to four weeks of early spring pasture, if judiciously handled, and was ready at least two weeks before other pastures could be grazed.

Fall rye should be seeded at 1½ to 2 bushels if seeded alone or at 1 bushel if seeded in a mixture with 2 bushels of oats per acre.

The varieties recommended are M. C. 514, Rosen and Crown for the very earliest pastures. Dekold, a very hardy variety, is late and prostrate in habit of growth at first, but it may be used to furnish pasture a little later than the other varieties mentioned.

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D. A. McAFEE, Secretary-Treasurer

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